

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 6

48TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2008

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A JOINT RESOLUTION

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 8 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF NEW MEXICO TO PROVIDE A PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR PROPERTY OF A VETERANS' ORGANIZATION CHARTERED BY THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND USED BY A LOCAL, STATE OR FEDERAL GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY FOR EVENTS OR BY NONPROFIT COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS OR OTHER VETERANS' ORGANIZATIONS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. It is proposed to amend Article 8 of the constitution of New Mexico by adopting a new section to read:

"The legislature shall exempt from taxation the property of a veterans' organization chartered by the United States congress and used by a local, state or federal governmental entity for events or by nonprofit community organizations or other veterans' organizations. The burden of proving

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1 eligibility for the exemption in this section is on the person
2 claiming the exemption."

3 Section 2. The amendment proposed by this resolution
4 shall be submitted to the people for their approval or
5 rejection at the next general election or at any special
6 election prior to that date that may be called for that
7 purpose.

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